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## Sutton & Harris

### Want their Customers

To know they have gotten in their SPRING LINE of FURNITURE. Everything up-to-date and all new—we carry no old goods—our bed-room suits in Circassian walnut quartered and plain oak, are beautiful and our Rockers, Hall and Dining Chairs are great in construction and style, besides we have a beautiful line of

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CHINA CLOSETS.  
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And everything in the Furniture Line. We do not make very much noise about our Piano and Organ business, but call and see us and we can save you a big per cent on these goods. As to CARPETS just follow the crowd and we will show you the nicest line ever brought to the town. Everything guaranteed as represented.

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## Sutton & Harris,

Fizer Building, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

### For Poultrymen.

Any person desiring to order fine chickens, or their eggs, as advertised for L. A. Woodford & Co., will leave their orders with us. We have price list and will take pleasure in securing what you want. 34-1f

### A Kentucky Sponsor.

Miss Ann May Taylor, of Nicholasville, is considered one of the prettiest young women in Central Kentucky and has been selected as a sponsor for the reunion of Confederate veterans, to be held in Charleston in May.

### Coughed 25 Years.

I suffered for 25 years with a cough, and spent hundreds of dollars with doctors for medicine to no avail until I used Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. This remedy makes weak lungs strong. It has saved my life.—J. B. Russell, Grantsburg, Ill.

Set before you high models. Try to live with the most generous and to observe their deeds. Be contented, yet, aspire; that should be the faith of all, and the two are quite compatible.—F. W. Robertson.

## Boils and Pimples Give Warning.

### AN UNFAILING SIGN THAT NATURE IS APPEALING FOR HELP.

When Nature is overtaxed, she has her own way of giving notice that assistance is needed. She does not ask for help until it is impossible to get along without it. Boils and pimples are an indication that the system is accumulating impurities which must be gotten rid of; they are an urgent signal for assistance—a warning that can not safely be ignored. To neglect to purify the blood at this time means more or less of painful boils and unsightly pimples. If these impurities are allowed to remain, the system succumbs to any ordinary illness, and is unable to withstand the many ailments which are so prevalent during spring and summer.

Mrs. L. G. Dunlap, 204 Second Avenue, Seattle, Wash., says: "I was afflicted for a long time with pimples, which were very annoying, as they disfigured my face fearfully. After using many other remedies in vain, S. S. S. promptly and thoroughly cleansed my blood, and now I rejoice in a good complexion, which I never had before."

R. R. Chattanooga, Tenn., writes: "Several boils and carbuncles broke out upon me, causing great pain and annoyance. My blood was in a vicious condition, and nothing I took seemed to do any good. Six bottles of S. S. S. cured me completely and my blood has been perfectly pure ever since."

### S. S. S. FOR THE BLOOD

is the best blood remedy, because it is purely vegetable and is the only one that is absolutely free from potash and mercury. It promptly purifies the blood and thoroughly cleanses the system, builds up the general health and strength. It cures Scrofula, Eczema, Cancer, Rheumatism, Tetter, Boils, Sores, etc., by going direct to the cause of the trouble and forcing out all impure blood. Books free to any address by the Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.

### A HERO.

#### A Piece Selected For the Little Boys.

A few years ago a fire broke out in a charming little Swiss village. In a few hours the quaint frame houses were entirely destroyed.

One poor man was in greater trouble than his neighbors even. His home and cows were gone, and so also was his son, a bright boy of six or seven years. He wept and refused to hear any words of comfort. He spent the night wandering sorrowfully among the ruins.

Just as daybreak came, however, he heard a well-known sound, and looking up, he saw his favorite cow leading the herd and coming directly after them was his bright little boy.

"Oh, my son, my son!" he cried, "you are really alive!"

"Why, yes, father. When I saw the fire, I ran to get our cows away to the pasture lands."

"You are a hero, my boy!" the father exclaimed.

But the boy said, "Oh, no! a hero is one who does some wonderful deed. I led the cows away because they were in danger, and I knew it was the right thing to do."

Ah, cried the father, "he who does the right thing at the right time is a hero."—Exchange.

### Birds and Bills.

"There's something wrong with this bill," said the young married man to the milliner who has imported Parisian prices as well as styles.

"It is correct in every item," after looking it over.

"Eight dollars for that bird, no bigger than my fist?"

"Yes, sir, and cheap at that."

"All right, madame, I'll settle; but it's robbery." We had our first anniversary yesterday and I bought a ten-pound turkey for \$125.—Detroit Free Press.

### Utterly Obtuse.

"That there city husband of Minnie's," said the innocent old man with the whiskers, "is one of the pleasantest fellows going." Why, I hadn't been settled 'chatin' in his office with him more'n a quarter hour 'fore he told me to come in and see him again.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A certain amount of opposition is a great help to a man. Kites rise against the wind. Even a head wind is better than none. No man ever worked his passage anywhere in a dead calm.—Neal.

The Chicago Council has forbidden the use of the rod in the House of Correction.

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE  
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

### DIAMOND DUST.

Life is not so short but there is always time for courtesy.

They who cheer have a share in the victory of those who fight.

Tears, like raindrops, have a thousand times fallen to the ground and come up in flowers.

Make your company a rarity, and people will value it. Men despise what they can easily have.

If you have good health be happy, for you have nine-tenths of all that nature has ever given to any man.

Not until you make men self-reliant, intelligent, and fond of struggle—fonder of struggle than of help—will they have you relieved forever.

The ultimate source of all conduct is character; and as no river can rise higher than its source, so no life can be really purer or more elevated than the character which furnishes it with motives.

Our characters are formed and sustained by ourselves and by our own actions and purposes, and not by others. Calculators may usually be trusted to time, and the slow but steady justice of public opinion.

If there is one thing in the world that should be free from compulsion of any sort, it is a gift. Directly it is associated with forceful urgency, or suggested by extraneous reason, it loses all its grace and all its character.

By directing the attention of children to the beauty, as well as the duty of life, and to the sublimity as well as to the obligations—by leading them to appreciate and love these, as well as to perform others—we are incessantly cultivating their growth in their hearts. There is no child old enough to understand the one who may not be loved innocently to embrace the other.

### The Eagle, King of All Birds,

is noted for its keen sight, clear and distinct vision. So are those persons who use The Eagle's Eye Salve for weak eyes, styas, sore eyes of any kind or granulated lids. Sold by all dealers at 25 cents.

### Wholesome Thought.

The universe is made for man, not man for the universe. Every wish and aspiration whose trend is toward progress, can be fully met; abundantly gratified. There is no more limit to the gratification of a right desire, than there is to the air that one may breathe. Satisfaction and happiness are as infinite as the atmosphere. The only limitation is the degree of receptivity in man. The need is to enlarge one's view of the universe; to deepen one's realization of the multitude of forces ceaselessly at work.

### Coal Combine.

All of the coal interests on the Monongahela river have entered into a monstrous combine and from now on a taut line will be held on miners, and the consumers may expect to pay more for this necessity every day, and enormously when the famine comes. Woe unto the laborer and the poor consumer! The combine has been capitalized at \$300,000,000. Pittsburgh has the first throwing at the stock.

### Negro Hanged.

The negro wife murderer, Will Tutt, was hanged at Mayfield on last Thursday morning. He broke completely down when he mounted the scaffold and had to be supported by the sheriff and his deputies.

Messrs. Roy and J. H. Amys opened a grocery and meat store on last Saturday, next door to Thos. Whit. We wish them success in their new venture.

### WITH THE WITS.

Sunday-school Teacher: Jimmy Finn, do you know anything about the Jews? Jimmy: Do I? An' me a-livin' in N' York!

"Dorothy, how on earth did you get a proposal out of that crummy old bachelor?" "Well, I pretended to like the things to eat that he likes."—Detroit Free Press.

Johnny: Is the devil married, ma? Mama: Why, no! What an ideal Johnny! Then why does he so often mutter to himself about the devil?—Kansas City Independent.

"Why have you been fighting, little boy?" asked the kind lady. "For exercise," was the answer. "Do I look big enough to be a professional fighter?" for a purse?—Chicago Post.

The Count: I lost you! I would marry you! The Girl: Yes; but it takes two to make a bargain, Count. Sain'tally! I will see your father to-morrow.—Yonkers Statesman.

A teacher at Garden City said to her primary class the other day: "If your father gave your mother \$7 to-day and \$8 to-morrow, what would she have? And the small boy over in the corner replied: "She would have a fit."—Kansas City Journal.

Willie: I think old Muevabags is the meanest man I ever knew. Millie: What has he done? Willie: Bought for his daughter a musical clock which plays "Home, Sweet Home" at ten o'clock; "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp" at 10:15; and "Johnny, Get Your Gun" at 10:30!

"Yes, we pay that girl \$6 a week, but she's worth every cent of it," said the experienced housekeeper. "Six dollars!" cried the novice. "Why, you can get as good as you want for \$4 or \$4.50." "Oh, I don't know," returned the experienced housekeeper. "I think this one saves me more than the excess. She's been firing with the plumber all winter, and now she's just beginning to smile on the kewan.—Chicago Post.

### Dean Place Sold.

S. W. Galtzell on last Friday purchased Dr. Ed Dean, the old Dean farm containing twenty-eight acres situated on the Winchester pike, for which he paid \$1500 per acre. This is one of the prettiest and most desirable homes in the county and was very cheap at the price paid.

### A Tennessee Boy.

"My little boy, aged five years, had sores on his limbs from his hips to the end of his toes. They were about the size of ten cent pieces. Some said they were caused by poison and he died, but it did not get well until he began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, which cured him."—Mrs. D. A. Jones, Morristown, Tenn.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, biliousness, indigestion, constipation.

### Spain to Have Millions.

The subject of the method of paying the \$20,000,000 due to Spain under the treaty was discussed by the Cabinet, and it was decided to pay the amount by a draft only, to be delivered to wherever the Spanish Government authorizes to receive it.

Plans have been completed by the Widener-Elliott-Whitney syndicate for six big allied electro-vehicle and transportation companies, to divide up the States between them. The first to go into operation will be the Illinois Company, with a capital stock of \$55,000,000.

Blue Barred Plymouth Rock Eggs, Thompson & Tanner strains. Eggs, 75 cents for 15.

JAMES D. CLARK, Plum, Ky.

### NOW COMES MISSOURI

#### With a Bill to Break Up the Boards of Fire Underwriters.

The Missouri House has passed a bill placing the boards of fire underwriters of St. Louis and Kansas City under the State anti-trust law. The present law exempts those cities. The bill now goes to the Governor, who it is reported, will sign it.

### Paranip Complexion.

It does not require an expert to detect the sufferer from kidney trouble. The hollow cheeks, the sunken eyes, the dark, puffy circles under the eyes, the sallow paranip-colored complexion indicates it.

A physician would ask if you had rheumatism, a dull pain or ache in the back or over the hips, stomach trouble, desire to urinate often, or a burning or scalding in passing it; if after passing there is an unsatisfied feeling as if it must be at once repeated, or if the urine has a brick dust deposit or strong odor.

When these symptoms are present, no slime should be lost in removing the cause.

Delay may lead to gravel, catarrh of the bladder, inflammation, causing stoppage, and sometimes requiring the drawing of the urine with instruments, or may run into Bright's disease, the most dangerous stage of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great discovery of the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, is a positive remedy for such diseases. Its reputation is world-wide and it is so easy to get at any drug store that no one need suffer any length of time for want of it.

However, if you prefer to first test its wonderful merits mention the Dr. STERLING ADVOCATE and write to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle and book telling all about it, both sent absolutely free by mail.

### Are You Such a Flower?

There is a flower in Siberia that blooms in January, the severest month of that climate. It is a star-shaped flower, and covered with glistening specks that look like diamonds. A Russian took some of the seeds of that flower to St. Petersburg and planted them, and they grew and on the coldest day of January they pushed back the snow and ice and burst into full bloom. They called it the "snow flower," and it makes me think of those whom the world tries to freeze out and snow under, but who, in the strength of God, push through and up and out, and bloom in the hardest weather of the world's cold treatment, starred and radiant with a beauty given only to those who find life a struggle, and turn it into a victory.—Talmage.

The Cuban Generals have chosen Gen. Gomez to represent the Cuban army in all negotiations concerning the payment and disarmament of the troops. Gen. Gomez accepted the trust, advising that the Council of Generals should be continued after the army had been disbanded to represent Cuban interests. He told the Generals that the only power in Cuba to-day is that of the United States and that "for the present thoughts of a Cuban independent government can be no more than dreams." The master rolls of the Cuban army were turned over to Gov. Gen. Brooke.

### That's All.

Old Gentleman—Do you mean to say that your teachers never thank you?

Little Boy—Never! We have moral suasion at our school.

Old Gentleman—What's that?

Little Boy—Oh, we get 'em in, and stood up in corners, and looked out, and looked in, and made to write one word a thousand times, and scowled at and jawed at, and that's all.—Golden Days.

An engineer has been making inquiries at Selma, Ala., with a view to estimating the cost of opening the Alabama river to ocean-going vessels as far as Selma. It is claimed the work would cost \$10,000,000.

## Enoch's Bargain House!

### Wall Paper.

We have just received our NEW SPRING LINE of WALL PAPER, which is now complete, and is one of the biggest and prettiest lines we have ever shown. Prices ranging from 5c a bolt up.

### Stoves.

We carry a line of Stoves, which is unequalled.

In our O. K. JEWELLS we guarantee every back 5 years.

### 5c and 10c Counters.

Everybody looks for our 5 and 10 cent Counters.

They are now full and complete with new and attractive goods. BIG BARGAINS.

### Dry Goods.

We are closing out our Dry Goods at one-half price to get rid of them.

Call and look at them.

Our windows are always full of big bargains. Notice them.

TINWARE, QUEENSWARE, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE.

Our Motto:—"Big Sales and Little Profit."

## Enoch's Bargain House,

WEST MAIN STREET, Mt. Sterling.

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Queen & Crescent trains are without a peer in the south. Seventeen miles shortest line; unequal train service.

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Seventy and one-fourth acres good farming land, one mile from Mt. Sterling on good turnpike. Set in grass. Call on or address.

J. W. YOUNG, North Middletown or N. B. YOUNG, Jody, Ky.

W. S. Stratton is said to have sold his famous Independence mine to a London syndicate for \$2,000,000.

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For Legislature..... L. N. GREENE,  
Of Montgomery County.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.  
We are authorized to announce John H. Chesnut, of Madison county as a candidate for State Auditor, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Mr. Green R. Keller, of Nicholas county, as a candidate for Secretary of State, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce M. A. Cassidy, of the county of Fayette, a candidate for Superintendent of Public Instruction, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

I am a candidate for re-election as Railroad Commissioner from the Third Kentucky District, subject to the action of the Republican party. I base my claims upon life-long adherence to the principles of my party; loyalty to all its nominees; years of earnest effort for its success, and faithful and conscientious performance of my official duties.  
Respectfully,  
JOHN C. WOOD.

DEMOCRATIC MASS MEETING.

That mass meeting at the Court-house on last Saturday, when the Chicago platform was endorsed and when Col. A. W. Hamilton was likewise endorsed as a Democrat and man by appointing delegates to attend the Railroad District Convention at Winchester on April 26, instructed to use their influence to secure the Democratic nomination for Railroad Commissioner, was after our own heart in interest and harmony. The body was in session about ten minutes, just long enough to call the meeting to order, state its object, read and pass resolutions and adjourn.

With such harmony Montgomery Democracy would become so cemented that no Republican need apply. Col. Hamilton will be the nominee of his party and though the district is Republican, there is a chance of success from the fact that there are many Republicans who prefer to vote for a bimetallic Democrat to any gold-bug Republican.

The candidate, Hon. P. Wat Hardin, is after, at this time, is Hon. W. J. Stone. Mr. Stone is in Wat's way, we would think from his stump speeches, aside from the declaration made by Mr. Stone at Winchester that Mr. Hardin had asked him to withdraw from the race saying he would be easily nominated. Mr. Hardin is not much in the race in Montgomery for the reason first he failed as the party nominee four years ago, and because his party alliances are not consistent with Democracy, according to the notions of our Democrats. "The cause is greater than the man" is the sentiment of our people, and hence it is Stone or Gobel with them.

Hon. James H. Williams, of Frenchburg, candidate for the nomination for State Senator in his district, was in the city last week on legal business. Mr. Williams would make a first-class State Senator and it now appears that he will have no opposition for the nomination.

A NUISANCE.

Horse-jockeying continues in Mt. Sterling to the discredit of the city fathers. This business, we think a most serious nuisance. First, by allowing it life and property are endangered; second, the greater part of the horses used by the jockeys are diseased; third, a stranger is impressed by what he sees, and that both the horses and traders are specimens of Montgomery yeomanry. We continue to hope the Council through the City Attorney, may be able to frame a law that would eject these unsightly, dangerous objects, and which would be in strict accordance with our Constitution.

It now appears from what is in sight that Col. A. W. Hamilton, Democrat, and John C. Wood, Republican, both of Montgomery, will, within the next few weeks, be nominees of the respective parties for Railroad Commissioner, and it will become the unpleasant duty of Col. A. W. Hamilton to retire our esteemed contemporary to a strictly journalistic business.

A SURE WINNER.

John C. Wood, Most Likely, Will Be Nominated on the First Ballot.

Our countyman, John C. Wood, candidate to succeed himself as Railroad Commissioner from this, the Third District, looks like a sure winner in the Republican convention at Richmond on May 2nd.

In Saturday's mass county conventions he received great encouragement. He will go into the convention with the following votes:

First instructions 286.  
Second instructions 37.  
Of the uninstructed votes, Mr. Wood is sure of 94, which makes a total of 417, twenty-three more than the required number to nominate.

Republican Convention.

A meeting of the Republicans of Montgomery county was held at the Court House in this city, Saturday afternoon, to select delegates to the District Convention at Richmond May 23, 1899, to nominate a candidate for Railroad Commissioner in this (Third) district. C. H. Duty was elected Chairman and W. H. Wood Secretary. On motion of J. J. Keam a Committee on Resolutions was appointed which made the following report:

We the Committee on Resolutions beg leave to submit the following:

Resolved, That we approve the call for this Convention and the call for the Convention to be held at Richmond May 23, 1899, to nominate a candidate for Railroad Commissioner.

2. That we heartily endorse the course of the State and National administration.

3. That all good Republicans of this county be and are hereby appointed delegates to attend the Convention at Richmond May 23.

4. That the delegates be and are hereby instructed to cast the vote of Montgomery county, in said Convention, for John C. Wood for Railroad Commissioner and to use all honorable means to secure his nomination.

G. L. KIRKPATRICK,  
W. H. STOKESMAN,  
J. J. KEAM,  
A. K. WILSON,  
JOHN C. TRIMBLE,  
Committee.

No further business being before the Convention a motion to adjourn was carried.

C. H. DUTY,  
Chairman.

L. A. Wise and wife have rented rooms from M. B. McKinney and wife, on High street.

Remember C. F. Keese, the grocer.

The Democratic Convention.

Pursuant to a call of the Chairman of the Democratic Committee of Montgomery County, the Democratic County, met in mass convention, on the 15th day of April, 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the Court House in Mt. Sterling, Ky., and on motion of W. R. Thompson, Judge John E. Cooper was elected Chairman and Squire Turner and J. W. Hedden Secretaries. Thereupon the following resolutions were offered by Dr. W. R. Thompson.

1st. RESOLVED, That we approve of the action of the Democratic Executive Committee for the Third Railroad District of Kentucky, in calling the Convention to nominate a Democratic candidate for the office of Railroad Commissioner, for said district, to meet at Winchester, Ky.

2nd. That our fellow Democrats and countyman, Col. A. W. Hamilton, through the trying canvass of 1896, so earnestly demonstrated his allegiance by the Chicago platform; his unselfish services since as a member of the Democratic State Central Committee, for his district, and in view of his close touch with the interest of the masses who have connection with the railroads of the State as passengers and shippers, the principles that have dominated his whole life, "Equal justice to all, exclusive privileges to none," coupled with his wide experience as a business man, makes him eminently fitted for the position of Railroad Commissioner, to which position the Democrats of his County, have so unanimously asked him to aspire.

Therefore, the delegates hereinafter named are instructed to cast the vote of Montgomery county, in the convention at Winchester on April 26, 1899, and use all honorable means to secure his nomination as their standard bearer for Railroad Commissioner for the Third District of Kentucky, at the November election, 1899.

3rd. RESOLVED, That the following named persons be appointed as delegates to cast the vote of Montgomery county in the convention to be held at Winchester, Ky., on April 26, 1899, to wit: Allie W. Young, W. R. Thompson, H. R. Prewitt, H. B. Kincaid, John E. Cooper, C. B. Duerson, A. A. Hazrigg, S. King Ford, Squire Turner, J. B. Taubel, M. O. Cockrell, J. W. Gatewood, John F. King, T. G. Deaton, W. T. Fitzpatrick, Geo. W. Baird, H. M. Woodford, H. R. Bright, I. N. Greene, J. W. Hedden, John M. Elliott, Sidney Johnson, Jas. T. Kins, Frank Duerson.

4th. RESOLVED, That the delegates of this convention be and they are instructed to cast their vote as a unit upon all questions that may arise before said convention.

5th. RESOLVED, That the Democratic papers of Mt. Sterling, Ky., the Sentinel-Democrat and Mt. Sterling Advocate be requested to publish the proceedings of this convention.

On motion of W. R. Thompson the convention adjourned.

JOHN E. COOPER, Chairman.  
SQUIRE TURNER,  
J. W. HEDDEN,  
Secretaries.

That delicious roast came from Amxy Bros. 'Phone 27.

Jumped Through the Window.  
Ed Washington, colored escaped convict was arrested here yesterday. Chief of Police Wilson started to Frankfort with him on the express. Near Prewitt's Station the convict handcuffed, jumped through the car window in the water closet, while the train was at full speed. The train was stopped. He was considerably bruised and is now in jail here.

Stoddard Liger ball-bearing disc Harrow, been used in the county for 20 years, and is the best on the market. Ed. Mitchell, the Harrow Man, Agent.

That celebrated high-grade floor Ballard's Obelisk, you see advertised in the city papers is for sale by Amxy Bros. 'Phone 27.

J. M. Garrett, of Butler, Ill., who has been visiting here since December, has bought of Cas. Prewitt a 2-year-old colt and from Bud Myers a 4-year-old jack. He goes home this week. He is a kinsman of the Cookrells, McClures and Garretts of this county.

The Chantauque meets with Miss Fenton Bigstaff. Subject, "Carlyle and Macaulay."

Amxy Bros. handle nothing but choice beef. 'Phone 27.

Have You Been Sick?

Perhaps you have had the grippe or a hard cold. You may be recovering from malaria or a slow fever; or possibly some of the children are just getting over the measles or whooping cough.

Are you recovering as fast as you should? Has not your old trouble left your blood full of impurities? And isn't this the reason you keep so poorly? Don't delay recovery longer but Take Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

It will remove all impurities from your blood. It is also a tonic of immense value. Give nature a little help at this time. Aid her by removing all the products of disease from your blood. If your bowels are not just right, Ayer's Pills will make them so. Send for our book on Diet in Constitution.

Write to our Doctors. We have the entire collection of some of the most eminent physicians in the United States, who freely and promptly reply, without cost.

Address, Dr. J. C. Ayer, Lowell, Mass.

Accident at Grassy Lick.

Richard, the son of Albert Stoffer, and Cecil, son of William Greene, were driving in a buggy, near Grassy Lick, on yesterday. The horse ran away, throwing them out, bruising and cutting, but not seriously injuring them.

Groceries and Fresh and Canned Meats.

We have rented the Bosworth building on Main street, next to Kennedy's drug store, and are offering to the people groceries bought right for a small profit. Our meats are the best corn fed, slaughtered and cut by experienced men, and give you choice meats. Vegetables in season. Depend upon it, we will have everything the people want. See our stock and prices.

Respectfully,  
AMXY BROS.  
'Phone 27.

Good second-hand suits of furniture from \$7.50 up at B. H. Coyle's. 39-2t

Everybody will be glad to know that place of good fellows, Wm. VanAntwerp, has given up his position with the Y. M. C. A., at Louisville, and accepted a position with The Chiles-Thompson Grocery Company, where they can see more of him.

Buy the Evans two-horse Corn Planter from Ed. Mitchell, the Harrow Man.

For a delicious steak try Amxy Bros. 'Phone 27.



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Is the pride of the household. Buy a new Carriage  
And take the little one out riding in the fresh air and sunshine. You will find our carriages are very Reasonable.

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A lot of SOLID OAK CENTER TABLES at prices that will surprise you.

You do not have to go to other cities to buy Furniture on account of high prices. We will sell you what you want at Cincinnati prices.

If you haven't got the CASH, your credit is good at our store.

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**SEND NO MONEY** WITH YOUR ORDER, and we will send you a high-grade Sewing Machine. You can examine it at your own risk, and if you are not satisfied, we will send you a new one. We have the best of every high-grade machine in the market. We have the best of every high-grade machine in the market. We have the best of every high-grade machine in the market.

**THE BUNICK**  
is the best of every high-grade machine in the market. We have the best of every high-grade machine in the market. We have the best of every high-grade machine in the market.

**VEHICLES and LIVERY.**

We called to see B. F. Settles, the enterprising carriage manufacturer and dealer and liveryman. He keeps a stock of first-class Buggies, Surries, Borroughs, Phaetons, both of his own make and from reputable factories. His KENTUCKY BREAK CART is celebrated.

Wm. Settles, his father, is at the head of the blacksmith department, and has devoted nearly sixty years to the business.

Ed. Settles is the trimmer, and Arthur Bybee is chief man in the paint shop.

Altogether they turn out excellent work, both as to workmanship and material.

In connection with this business is a Livery, where first-class turnouts are constantly for use. A call at his place of business on East High Street will convince you that he is prepared to supply your wants.

He is prepared to do repairing and repainting on short notice. Call to see him.

**SEND ONE DOLLAR** FOR THE AD OCT and send to us one dollar and we will send you a high-grade Sewing Machine. You can examine it at your own risk, and if you are not satisfied, we will send you a new one. We have the best of every high-grade machine in the market. We have the best of every high-grade machine in the market. We have the best of every high-grade machine in the market.

**THE BUNICK**  
is the best of every high-grade machine in the market. We have the best of every high-grade machine in the market. We have the best of every high-grade machine in the market.





## "Trust Not to Appearances."

That which seems hard to bear may be a great blessing. Let us take a lesson from the rough weather of Spring. It is doing good despite appearances. Cleanse the system thoroughly; rout out all impurities from the blood with that greatest specific, Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Instead of sleepless nights, with consequent irritability and an undone, tired feeling, you will have a tone and a bracing air that will enable you to enter into every day's work with pleasure.

**Scrofula Bunches.**—An operation helped my son temporarily for scrofula bunches on his neck, but Hood's Sarsaparilla cured them. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla.

**Catarrh.**—I have had no return of the catarrh which troubled me for years, since Hood's Sarsaparilla cured me. Mr. J. M. MATT, Washington St., Opeka, Okla.

**Dyspepsia.**—Nothing relieved me of my dyspepsia until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cured me and I can eat three good meals every day. I give it to my children every spring. F. W. FORTNER, 427 South Penna street, Indianapolis, Ind.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**  
Never Disappoints

Twelve average tea plants produce one pound of tea.

A sale in the general office of the Lexington & Eastern railway was burglarized and \$250 stolen.

Get rid of that shaggy hair. See Lee Fisher, the barber. Try his cure. 37-4.

The Louisville and Nashville railroad is said to be negotiating for the control of the Mobile and Ohio.

The Franklin county grand jury has indicted a number of distillers for failing to report to the State Auditor.

The lessees of the Cincinnati Southern railroad paid into the State Treasury \$51,997.07 in payment of all franchise taxes.

The Tennessee Senate in Committee of the Whole struck out of the Revenue Bill the section imposing privilege taxes upon railroads.

Gov. Sime of Pennsylvania, objects to naming a cruiser Gettysburg. He does not want to revive any unpleasant memories of the rebellion.

Despite the numerous reports of depredations by bandits in California province, Mr. Gen. Wood telegraphs that there are no bandits in the province.

"My curiosity is running away with me," said the farmer, when his two-headed ox got loose and towed him around the barnyard—Cornell Widow.

A bronze tablet in honor of the Sixth Infantry who lost their lives at San Juan is to be placed on the tower at Fort Thomas, Newport, Ky., on July 1.

The silverminers who expect to submit proposals for furnishing the silver service for the battleship Kentucky have been notified that their bids must be in by May 1.

"What's the first step toward the digestion of food?" asked the teacher. Up went the hand of a little fellow, who exclaimed with eagerness. "Bite it off!"—American Kitchen Magazine.

**Plymouth Rock Eggs.**  
Mrs. Anna E. Bean will sell a few settings of eggs from prize winning strains at the low price of 50 cents per setting of 15.

The converted cruiser Yosemite is expected to sail from New York for Guam, carrying Capt. Richard P. Leary, United States Navy, who is to be Governor, and his official family, with a Garrison of marines. An allowance of \$50,000 has been made Capt. Leary to enable him to make an impression on the 10,000 inhabitants of the island.

Jefferson Day was observed at New York and at Milwaukee. At New York the Democratic Club gave a dinner, at which the principal speakers were Judge Augustus Van Wyck and Mr. Perry Belmont. At Milwaukee, Hon. William J. Bryan and Mayor Carter Harrison were among the speakers at a banquet given by the Jefferson Club.

## POWDER AND ROUGE.

**Some Rules for Making Up for Amateurs.**  
Although nothing is more to be deplored than any attempt at "make-up" for ordinary social functions, it is sometimes necessary to resort to artificial devices for fancy dress parties or amateur theatricals. For these rare occasions it may be done in such a way as to be entirely harmless, and indeed the process must always be performed with the greatest delicacy and deliberation in order to have the results satisfactory. It goes without saying that only the very best materials should be used.

After washing the face, neck and arms in very hot water, sponge them lightly with eau de Cologne and water or toilet vinegar and water, and when quite dry rub the entire surface with some good cream which is neither sticky nor greasy. Then powder the neck and arms very thickly with some good powder. Now take a fine brush and apply a very little of the best rouge to the cheeks, shading it off naturally at the edges, and powder the face well over. Take a large piece of fine, clean wash leather and rub the powder in with the back of the hand. If this polishing process that gives the soft, natural appearance to the complexion.

The carmine for the lips must be applied with great care, following accurately the natural outline. Smear at the corners have an abnormal appearance.

For darkening the eyelashes and brows the following home-made preparation is the best: Burn a clean paper cork until it will crumble easily to powder. Put it in a saucer, and when you have rubbed it quite smooth drop pure glycerine on it and stir until it becomes squashed about the edges of the cork. Apply with a very fine camel's hair brush.

To remove the make-up, cover your face with cold cream, rubbed on lightly. Let it remain for a minute or two and then rub it off with soft, damp, handkerchiefs, wash your face well with hot water and pure soap, rinsing it off with cold water.

—San Francisco Chronicle.

## SLAVERY INEVITABLE.

In the Ultimate White Colonization of the African Tropics.

The iron age is fully inaugurated by the most degraded relationship that man can bear to man—that of slavery. Only the oddest of modern colonialism imitate the mother countries in passing through this stage; in those of later foundation a mere shadow of it remains, or it takes other shapes. Countless first enslave the natives of the country where they settle. In the South American colonies, where they went to find gold, they would work for no other purpose; they therefore needed the natives to till the soil; they needed them also as carriers. For the purpose they were used indiscriminately. They were distributed among the Spaniards under a system of repatriation which repeated the provisions of Greek and Roman slavery, and was itself repudiated three centuries later in the coarctation system of New South Wales. With such savage cruelty was it worked that, according to the testimony of Columbus, six-sevenths of the population of Hispaniola died under it in a few years. The same form of slavery, but of a very different character, prevailed in Africa down almost to our own times. In the British colonies it was submerged in 1834, from causes external to itself by the humanitarian wave that wrecked the West Indies; in the French colonies it was abolished by the revolutionary government of 1848; in the Dutch colonies it perished in the military day. Theoretically abolished or not, the relationship between civilized white and savage blacks must be everywhere a modified form of slavery, and a white colonization of the African tropics can only take place under conditions indistinguishable from a limited slavery.—James Collier, in Popular Science Monthly.

## Force of Growing Plants.

The United States department of agriculture has, by experiments, found that the force of a growing pumpkin was sufficient to lift 24 tons, provided the weight was placed so as not to interfere with the growth or natural development of the vegetable. In London a paving stone which weighed 500 pounds, and which was wedged in on all sides by other stones, was lifted up by a mushroom. The growth of the green tree at Cinerea, Honduras, moved the walls of a concrete church three feet in thickness 18 inches in 17 years.

## A Small Baby.

On last Tuesday morning at 12:40 an alarm of fire was turned in from Everley School. A small baby in the roof of the school building was the cause. The fire was extinguished by the heroic efforts of neighbors before the fire company arrived upon the scene. Geo. Eastin and his horses reported to the city in double quick time.

## Weak Eyes Are Made Strong.

Dim vision made clear, eyes removed and granulated lids or sore eyes of any kind speedily and effectually cured by the use of Suberlin's Eagle Eye Salve. It's put up in tubes, and sold on a guarantee by all good druggists.

The Arkansas Legislature refused to grant the request of a business men's convention for more liberal insurance legislation, and in addition passed condemnation on a member who had participated in the convention's proceedings.

Fewer suicides occur in Ireland than in any other country in Europe.

## TOP OF MONT BLANC.

Question as to Who is the Owner—

Who is the owner of the top of Mont Blanc? The question arose at first night council, though, but it has been referred to the government, it certainly has serious side. Naturally, it is not a single or isolated individual, but a group of nations, which has brought forward this claim. The affair is much more complicated. Three municipalities, namely, Chamonix, St. Gervais and St. Nicolas—each has a claim. The first, Chamonix, is the largest, and old maps and documents are being appealed to with fiery ardor. It is not the point of honor—the prestige of possessing an entire avalanche or so—which is at the bottom of this lively contention. It is, in fact, a more practical and profitable business. Each has set their neighbors by the ears.

The fact is, that Mont Blanc, being in greater favor than any other, is the subject of public, various spots, spread at different altitudes on the famous mountain, have been let out to enterprising projectors, and now there is a sharp fight over the profits. Chamonix has the best of the bargain so far, and she is disputing with St. Gervais over a particular point, its municipality has proclaimed its right to the entire summit of Mont Blanc. The other two municipalities, in presence of this bold assertion of a claim to such a "sphere of influence," have united their forces, and are now importuning the government with their appeals for officials to take a knotty problem for the officials to solve. If they go back to precedents they will hardly see their way out of the difficulty; for the great map of 1730 only reproduced the divisions of property on the lower wooded portions of the mountain, no one then caring a rush about the "effective occupation" of peaks and rocks, of glaciers and snow; while the difficulties of surveying would have been enormous.

—Paris Cor. London Telegraph.

## The British Army.

According to the last annual census return there are serving in the British army 158,596 English non-commissioned officers and men, 16,485 Scotch, 26,274 Irish, 8,275 born in India or the colonies, 143 foreigners and 2,551 the nationality of whom is not given.

## Generous.

Cab Toot—I say, Bill, lend me sixpence.

Cabby—I can't; but I can lend you fourpence.

Cab Toot—All right. Then you'll owe me twopenny.—London Punch.

## No Lady Would Do Such a Thing.

No lady would take her watch when out of order to the first person who displayed the sign "Watches Regulated and Repaired." But she would carefully enquire for a man whose acknowledged skill entitled him to take in charge the delicate mechanism. How much more careful should a woman be, when she herself is disordered, not to entrust the delicate and complex mechanism of her being to the first man or woman who displays the sign "Medical Advice Given." No sign is to be trusted which says "Medical Advice Given" and stops there. Medical advice can be given only by a physician. An accredited physician will put his title with his name. Suppose a sign says, "Medical Advice Given by a Man." What woman would stop there? "The fact of being a man doesn't qualify him to give medical advice. He must be a physician, and that." But suppose the sign reads: "Medical Advice Given by a Woman." Is not the fact just as patent that a woman does not qualify her to give medical advice. The woman must be a physician to do that. Medical advice given by an unskilled woman is just as dangerous as if given by an unskilled man.

In inviting sick and ailing women to consult him by letter or in person, Dr. Pierce points to an experience and practice of over thirty years, devoted especially to diseases peculiar to women. In that time Dr. Pierce and his associate staff of medical specialists have successfully treated more than 100,000 women. All correspondence is treated as strictly private and secretly confided. Letters are promptly answered, and the answers are mailed in perfectly plain envelopes, without any printing upon them. Write without fear or without fear to Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician to the Inland Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.

## CONVENTION.

To Nominates a Democratic Candidate

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER.

Official Call Names Winchester and April 26.

The Third Railroad District Committee met at Lexington on last Wednesday afternoon and issued a call for a convention to nominate a Democratic candidate for Railroad Commissioner, to be held at Winchester on Wednesday, April 26.

The following is the official call in full:

Resolved, That a district convention shall be held in the Third Railroad District of Kentucky on Wednesday, April 26, 1899, for the purpose of nominating a Democratic candidate for Railroad Commissioner in said district. Said convention will meet in the city of Winchester at 1 o'clock p. m. Delegates to said convention shall be chosen at county mass conventions, to be held at various county seats in the district at 2 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, April 15, 1899.

That the basis of representation from each county to the district convention shall be one delegate for every two hundred votes cast for each fraction over one hundred votes cast for the head of the Democratic electoral ticket at the Presidential election in 1896. That all known Democrats and other who will pledge themselves to support the nominees of said district convention shall be entitled to participate in the county conventions to elect delegates.

"J. M. LAMSON, Chairman."

"SOUTH TRIMBLE, Secretary."

**Modern Railway Equipment.**

The equipment of the modern railway service is growing better every day. The highest point of excellence is reached in the Pacific Coast Limited, a new train now operated between St. Louis and Los Angeles and San Francisco, via the "True South-east Route."

Leaves St. Louis every Tuesday and Saturday via the Iron Mountain Route, and makes the run to Los Angeles in two days and a half.

The equipment of this incomparable train consists of a composite car, with barber shop, book room, buffet and observation, smoking and library compartment, ladies' private compartment car, with seven dining rooms, and an observation parlor, two or more Pullman ten-section double drawing room sleeping cars, and in addition to this equipment a service car, in which meals and supper are of the very best, and where the traveler can regulate his expenses by his inclination, as all meals are served a la carte.

We have representatives in the chief cities, whose pleasure it is to furnish information to all who will take the small trouble to address an inquiry, either in person or letter, to any of them, or descriptive literature and full particulars will be furnished on application to

A. A. GALLAGHER, District Passenger Agent, Cincinnati, O.

H. C. TOWNSEND, General Passenger Agent, St. Louis, Mo.

**A Narrow Escape.**

Little James Moore, son of Hon. C. W. Nesbitt, was playing in the dresser last Wednesday, and, by some means, pulled the drawer open and found a vial of medicine and drank the entire contents. The medicine contained morphine and other ingredients. Fortunately his mother saw him just as he had taken it, and a physician was summoned. The little fellow was walked and carried around for several hours, and finally recovered.

The Samson Commission will sail for April 26th from San Francisco, April 26th, on the United States naval transport Badger. Baron Speck von Sternberg has been appointed to represent Germany, completing the body.

Man's opinions do not invalidate the truth; but the truth often invalidates man's opinions.—C. E. Sheppard.

## SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

Schedule in effect Dec. 15, 1898.

WESTBOUND.

Trains Nos. 1, 3, 5 and 7 leave from Winchester and Lexington.

Trains Nos. 2, 4, 6 and 8 leave from Winchester and Lexington.

Trains Nos. 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 43, 45, 47, 49, 51, 53, 55, 57, 59, 61, 63, 65, 67, 69, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, 83, 85, 87, 89, 91, 93, 95, 97, 99, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 167, 169, 171, 173, 175, 177, 179, 181, 183, 185, 187, 189, 191, 193, 195, 197, 199, 201, 203, 205, 207, 209, 211, 213, 215, 217, 219, 221, 223, 225, 227, 229, 231, 233, 235, 237, 239, 241, 243, 245, 247, 249, 251, 253, 255, 257, 259, 261, 263, 265, 267, 269, 271, 273, 275, 277, 279, 281, 283, 285, 287, 289, 291, 293, 295, 297, 299, 301, 303, 305, 307, 309, 311, 313, 315, 317, 319, 321, 323, 325, 327, 329, 331, 333, 335, 337, 339, 341, 343, 345, 347, 349, 351, 353, 355, 357, 359, 361, 363, 365, 367, 369, 371, 373, 375, 377, 379, 381, 383, 385, 387, 389, 391, 393, 395, 397, 399, 401, 403, 405, 407, 409, 411, 413, 415, 417, 419, 421, 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## APRIL COURT DAY.

There were about 1,000 cattle on the market. To say cattle were high does not express it—they were simply out of sight. We saw 6 cents returned for yearlings, to weigh them, and sold by the head for more than that price. Sales were a little slow before noon, but later on were better. Oxen were brisk and sold high. One extra yoke sold at \$5.30. The best steers, weight 800 to 1,000 pounds, sold at 5 to 6¢; yearlings at from 5¢ to 6¢; heifers at from 4 to 5¢; cows 3 to 4¢; bulls 3 to 3½¢.

No sheep for sale.  
Good crowd in attendance from surrounding counties and seemed anxious to buy, but owing to high prices seemed slow in buying.

### SALES.

Eam & Wheeler sold Prewitt Vanner of Clark county, a yoke of extra 2600-pound cattle at \$5.30. Same party sold 28 head of 550-pound yearling steers to Faunin Bros., of Ashland, at \$31.25 per head—at least 5¢.

Johnston Bros., sold twenty 400-pound yearlings to R. F. Deering, of Fleming county, at \$27 per head.

Harr & Stafford sold a bunch of 800-pound cows to Dan Welch at \$3.65.

G. B. Allen sold two yokes of 2000-pound cattle to George Ooff at \$217.50.

E. H. Little & Co., sold some 900-pound cows to Talbott Bros., of Nicholas county, at 3¢.

Wm. Shannon, of Nicholas county, bought ten 450-pound yearlings of Henry Caywood at \$27 per head.

Amos Holliday sold eleven 600-pound steers to Wm. Shannon at \$34. Mr. Shannon also bought ten 450-pound yearlings of Grant Holliday at \$25 per head—at least 5¢.

Mr. Bedford sold twelve 650-pound steers to J. T. Hedges of Bourbon county at 5¢.

A. B. Hampton, of Clark county, bought a yoke of 2100-pound steers of Geo. Green at 14¢.

E. R. Little sold seventeen 500-lb. heifers to James Jones of Nicholas county at \$24 per head. Mr. Jones also bought about fifteen more heifers of other parties about same price.

Moss Bros. bought three 700-pound heifers at 4¢, and sold a 1000-pound cow to Hodgkin Bros. of Clark at \$3.60. T. M. Cooper sold a 1300-pound bull to same party at 3¢.

Thos. Barnes bought seven 600-pound steers of Henry Blackship at \$34.50—over 5¢.

### HORSES AND MULES

The mule market was about as usual, except there was no good mules for sale. Some demand for them, but as only common were offered very little trading done. A few plug horses sold, but at low prices.

### Indicted.

The Franklin county grand jury Monday afternoon returned an indictment against Chas. J. Sommers, charging him with bribery in having paid \$400 to Garrett Graves for the use of a proxy in the recent Democratic convention of the Second railroad district.

### Book Social.

The ladies of the Baptist church will give a "Book Social" at the residence of Mr. J. M. Pickrell on Friday, April 21. Admission free. Refreshments 10c and 15c. All cordially invited.

Health for ten cents. Cascarets make the bowels and kidneys act naturally, destroy microbes, cure headache, biliousness and constipation. All druggists.

### "Povertie Partie."

In connection with the strawberry supper to be given by the ladies of the Baptist church in May, they will give that amusement that everybody enjoys, "Povertie Partie."

### Captured.

Chas. Detto, under sentence in jail for one year, who last October escaped from the guard while working on the pike, was arrested in this county on Sunday night and is now in jail.

### CASTORIA.


The kind you have always bought from the Signature of *Chas. H. Reiss*.

J. E. Boardman, of Little Rock, last week sold a plain harness mare for \$80.

You have heard about canned beef. Go to C. F. Keesee for fresh home beef.

# Where Is Your Spring Suit Coming From?

## Have You Visited Walsh Bros.? Do You Know the Store?

**WE** WANT you! We need your trade! Our efforts nor stock are not equalled here. Never ceasing, never tiring in our struggle to give you the best made and thorough reliable merchandise obtainable for the least money. If you need Clothes, it stands you in hand to trade where business is run on straight, honest principles. We allow no misrepresentation in our store. You get your money back in every instance if your purchase is unsatisfactory. Competent salesmen will see to your wants here to the best of their ability and to your satisfaction.  Read our offerings and let your Suit come from WALSH BROTHERS this spring.

### Men's All-Wool Suits.

Our line of Men's All-Wool Suits was never so good; so much talked about as now. Extra made from Scotchies in Checks, Mixtures and Plaids, Blue and Black Chevots; also Clay Worsteds, perfect in fit and trimmings, at a price that must double the demand. **\$5.00**

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The kind that have given Walsh Bros. a reputation in Scotchies, Valore finished Cassameres, Tweeds, and John Samonian's Worsteds, in slate drabs and browns are here and no place else for. **\$7.50**

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Because ours are the newest and most stylish outfits to be had for any purpose, in any style, sack or frock, Clay Worsteds, close woven Worsteds, fancy Worsteds, Tricots in blacks and blues, made by expert tailors, sewed throughout with silk. WALSH BROS. are determined to undersell everybody else. The price is only **\$10**



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Boys' and Children's Clothing in the swellest designs. Our Vestee Suits from 3 to 8 years are made in the most fastidious way. Prices range from \$1.25 to \$4.00.

Boys' Double-breasted Knee Pants Suits, 8 to 15 years, in \_\_\_\_\_, Cassimeres, Serges and Chevots, made the same as the men's suits. Prices range from \$1.25 to \$7.00.

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### SHOES.

Clapp's Shoes are making friends. Patent Leathers in Buttons and Lace; Tans in all the newest toes—Pug, Bull Dog and Coin. The price is \$5.00—no more or less. 20 Free Shines with every pair.

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Walsh Bros' guaranteed brand—the foremost styles, best quality obtainable for the money. 20 Free Shines with every pair.

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Sole agents for Knox's world-renowned Soft and Stiff Hats, Stetson Hats, No Name Hats, and the Walsh Special. We show more good Hats than all the stores here combined.

Fancy Vests, Full Dress Suits, Latest Shirts, Collars and Neckwear, here for Your inspection. \* \* \*

# WALSH BROS.,

Mt. Sterling,  
Kentucky.

### The Famous "Passion Play."

The world-wide famous "passion play" is to be given at the Grand Opera House on next Monday and Tuesday evenings, April 24 and 25.

While it is not a "play" in the commonly accepted understanding of the term, it is yet called a "play" as a matter of name. The "passion play" proper can only be seen by making a long and expensive pilgrimage to the village of Ober-Ammergau, which is situated near the black forest in Germany.

A journey like this is not a practical one to the people of this country, however desirable and helpful it would be to witness this play as it is now given in Ober-Ammergau, once every ten years as a devotional exercise, but representation of it is given by means of the Cinograph Moving Picture Machine, one of the latest instruments which makes the sharpest, clearest pictures of any instrument of the kind which has been devised up to date, and the moving pictures so strikingly lifelike showing the acting of the characters in this sacred entertainment, is of itself a most wonderful achievement, and gives a very good idea of what the "passion play" is, as performed at Ober-Ammergau. The prices of admission will be a popular one and as the "passion play" has been performed so many times and has attracted the attention of all Europe and the world, as it sets forth and impresses the mind on one of the greatest themes and one which has done more to elevate the cause of mankind than any form of instructive entertainment ever brought before the public.

The "passion play" shows the birth, life, death, burial, resurrection and ascension of our Saviour, and is so vividly impressive in its effect that all are made better for having seen it. The moving pictures showing the "passion play" are accompanied with a descriptive lecture, sacred music and illustrated songs.

Pictorial counters will be distributed throughout the city at an early date, which contains an explanation of the origin of the "passion play" and how it came to be produced, and is very interesting and instructive reading to all who hear in the Christian religion, the most helpful instrument in the promoting of the cause of humanity in all the world. All ladies interested in this affair should call on N. A. Wilkerson at the Express office this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

### Wheat a Little Up.

Because of the damage report to the wheat crop it has sprung in price a fraction over two cents.

### STANDARD AND REGISTERED: AARON ALLEN, 22211

Rich brown, weighs 1200 pounds; stand 16 hands, gelding measure; 16½ hands, stallion measure.

Sired by Idol Wilkes 212, first dam Maggie O, by Triton 357; second dam Mollie by Darby 441; third dam Jane by Royal George 83.

Idol Wilkes (sire of J. H. L. 208½, Robert Wilkes 209½, and four others), by Geo. Wilkes 222 (the greatest trotting sire, by the records, having over two thousand descendants in the list).

Triton 357 (sire of McDowell 225, also full brother to Tricket 214), by Princeps (sire of 27 in list, grand-sire of 50), first dam by Hambletonian 10.

Darby 441 (sire of Lady Thora 225, and R. F. C. 223½), by the greatest of brood mare sires, Mambrino Patchen 58.

Royal George 83, record 2:35½, (sired Lady Byron 228), by black Warrior.

AARON ALLEN's blood lines are good and strong, uniting the blood of Geo. Wilkes and Mambrino Patchen, called the "golden cross." He has fine natural sound, has never been on a track, but has trotted a dirt lane a measured quarter, to road cart, in 40 seconds.

His colts are large, handsome, stylish horses, some of them having shown speed, and all are good sellers. I do not claim that he will get fine lookers from all little scrubby mares, but I do say that I have seen some such from mares of this description.

Knowing that we needed a large, handsome, stylish, well-bred trotting stallion here, so that the foals, if they did not turn out to be good sellers, I hunted Kentucky over and found just such a horse.

Fifteen hundred (\$1500) dollars has been refused for him, and he will stand at the exceeding low price of **\$10.00 cash.**

Or, note due in six months, with return privilege.

Limited to two mares per day. Those booked will be given the preference.

Mares from a distance, \$2.00 per month. Best of care, but not responsible for accidents or escape.

Aaron Allen is absolutely sound. None have better eyes, feet and legs. He is a sure foot gaiter.

W. E. BEAN, Manager, 1½ Miles from Mt. Sterling, on Winchester pike.

### Flow Gearing.

### Saddles and Harness.

Blind Bridles, Back Bands, Trace Chains, Collars and Hames.

Wholesale and Retail.

### CASTORIA.

The kind you have always bought from the Signature of *Chas. H. Reiss*.

Miles Nettle Cole, of Dry Ridge, Menefee county, was the victor in the "Beauty Contest" given by the Frenchburg Agitator.

### Just Arrived.

At B. H. Coyle's, two car loads of second-hand furniture. Bargains for everybody. **\$9.31**

Buy your buggy harness from J. M. Cooney. **\$9.31**





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OILS,  
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WHITE WASH BRUSHES.  
Everything in the paint line. Get  
my prices before you buy,  
I can save you money.

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Phone 129.



**PERSONAL.**

Albert Fletcher, of Lexington, spent  
Sunday in the city.

Mrs. N. H. Trimble has returned  
from a visit to Oxford, O.

Jacob Trumbo, of Fayette county,  
was in the city yesterday.

Several of the Winchester beaux  
spent the Sabbath in the city.

Berry Pieratt, after spending sev-  
eral days in town, leaves to-day.

Mrs. G. W. Hon, of Bowen, visited  
relatives in the city the past week.

C. W. Nesbitt and family, of Ow-  
ingsville, have been in town several  
days.

Dr. A. B. Swope and family have  
returned from a two month's visit to  
Florida.

Wm. Kerr and son, Clarence, of  
Bourbon county, were in the city yester-  
day.

T. M. Farish and wife on Saturday  
returned from a two month's stay at  
Hot Springs.

Deputy Sheriff Clark Bascom, of  
Owingsville, spent a day or two in  
the city last week.

Miss Elizabeth Green, of Salt Lake,  
was the guest of Miss Effie Green  
Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Cartmel and Mrs. W. T. Ha-  
vane and daughter, Miss Florine, are  
guests of Mrs. Myahelr.

Mr. John D. McIntyre, editor of the  
Bath County Democrat, was in the  
city on business Monday.

Miss Mary Domigan, of Hamilton  
College, Lexington, spent from Tues-  
day until Monday at home.

I. Friedman, of Palmetto, proprie-  
tor of the Cincinnati Store, was look-  
ing after his business here on yester-  
day.

Rev. M. G. Buckner and wife, of  
Ashington, Ky., are spending the  
week with the family of Judge Cas-  
sady.

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Blackburn, of Stanton, and J. B. Hol-  
lon, of Campion, were in the city yester-  
day.

Finley E. Fogg, of West Liberty,  
was in the city Thursday. He was  
on his way home from Louisville,  
where he had been on business before  
the United States Court.

Prof. M. G. Thompson and wife and  
several young ladies from the college  
at North Middletown, were callers in  
our press room on Saturday afternoon  
while the large press was running.

Mr. J. M. Chaterson and Mr. S.  
Oppenheimer, attorneys of Louisville,  
Ky., were here on legal business and  
were the guests of E. S. Cunningham.

At the home of the bride's father,  
near Howards Mill, on last Wednes-  
day afternoon, Miss Nannie Bailey  
was married to Mr. J. H. Williams,  
formerly of Stanton, Ky., now of  
Leves, this county. We wish the  
young couple much happiness in  
their journey down life's pathway.

**Wanted.**

I want to buy 20 yearling red-  
pollled heifers. W. F. HIRSH,  
40-41  
Mt. Sterling, Ky.

"Countdown 400" at Opera House on  
Wednesday, April 26.

For fresh meats go to C. F. Keesee.

**DEATHS.**

**TREADWAY.**

On last Monday morning, the 12th  
instant, the spirit of "Aunt" Patsy  
Treadway left its tenement of clay,  
returning to Him who gave it. On  
Thursday her funeral was preached  
in the Baptist church by her pastor,  
Rev. W. J. Boile, and her remains  
laid to rest in Macphail cemetery.  
She was born in Clark county in  
1811, her maiden name being Mary  
Ann Haggard. At the age of 16 she  
was married to Stephen Treadway  
and raised ten children—five sons and  
five daughters, four of whom survive  
her. "Aunt" Patsy Treadway was a  
remarkable woman—we might say a  
landmark—old-time in her way.  
Scarcely past 18 years of age she was  
the mother of two children; ambi-  
tious and full of energy, after getting  
the morning meal she strapped one  
child to her back, carried the other in  
her arms, and walked three miles,  
where, in the shade of the fence, she  
stayed one, and laid the other on a pal-  
let, cut twelve shocks of corn, return-  
ed, did the house work and repeated  
the same day after day until the  
crop was harvested. She knew how  
to wield the scythe, to handle the hoe  
and axe, to saw, to gather, to spin, to

she was called upon to bear, and  
which she endured patiently, are no  
more to her; the rebukes and curses  
as ingrates cease in their  
hideousness, while she rests on the  
bosom of Him who has called her  
from labor to refreshment. May the  
God of all grace have mercy on those  
who have rudely treated her. Peace  
to the ashes of "Aunt" Patsy Tread-  
way.

In this connection Mr. Scobee de-  
sires to say he is thankful to Mr.  
Ware and family and all other  
friends of Aunt Patsy Treadway for  
their attention to her, and especially  
desires to thank her, and to invoke  
the blessing of God on him.

The Baptist church, of which Mrs.  
Treadway was a faithful member,  
are grateful to Mr. Scobee for his  
kindness to her, and to invoke the  
blessing of God on him.

**WILSON.**

On the 15th inst., infant daughter  
of M. C. Wilson and wife, aged three  
weeks. The little babe was brighter  
than usual on this day and was to all  
appearances free from pain and when  
the mother awoke about 12 o'clock at  
night she found the little one cold in  
death. The cause is supposed to have  
been nettles.

**YOUNG.**

On Saturday afternoon, April 8th  
John D. Jr., son of J. Roe Young,  
was accidentally killed near Kingman,  
Arizona, by falling through a mine.  
For about a year he had been chief  
assayer and assistant superintendent  
of the mine. He was about 21 years  
old. His is the second death in the  
family since Mr. Young went to  
Arizona. About three years ago, J.  
Roe, Jr., a lad of ten years, was ac-  
cidentally killed by the cars. The many  
friends in this section of the State  
will regret to hear of this great af-  
fliction to Mr. Young's family. He was  
a grandson of Judge John D. Young,  
of this city.

**BREWER.**

Rev. Richard Brewer, a Baptist  
Minister, of Lane, Wolfe county, fell  
off his horse in Campion, dying in-  
stantly. Heart failure is supposed to  
have been the cause of his death.

**RELIGIOUS.**

Rev. Clay Rainey, who has been in  
town a few days, preached at the  
First Presbyterian church on Sunday  
morning and evening.

Rev. Henry Miller, who has been  
spending a few weeks in our city, has  
accepted the pastorate of the South-  
ern Presbyterian church here and at  
Springfield. We welcome him to our  
midst.

The prayer meeting of the First  
Presbyterian church this week will be  
led by three young ministers from  
the seminary of Centre College, Dan-  
ville, Ky., who are on their way for  
licensure in Ebenezer Presbytery,  
Sharpsburg.

There will be held after morning  
service at the First Presbyterian church  
next Sabbath a congregational  
meeting, to which every member of  
the congregation is expected.

Preaching at the Southern Presby-  
terian church second, fourth and fifth  
Sundays at 11 a. m., and every Sun-  
day at night.

Preaching at the Springfield Presby-  
terian church first and third Sun-  
days at 11 a. m. The public cordially  
invited.

The meeting at the Christian church  
continues with increased interest. Up  
to Sunday night there had been 21  
additions, 18 of which were by con-  
fession. Rev. Forsyth is a young man  
of marked ability. We give the list of  
subjects for this week:

Subjects of Sermons for Evening  
Services this week:

Tuesday—The Outside Christian.

Wednesday—What Can Save?

Friday—A Young Man Out in the  
World.

Saturday—A Warning From God.

Sunday a. m.—He Hath Opened  
Mine Eyes.

Sunday p. m.—Paul's Advice to a  
Young Man.

Rev. E. S. Marshall, late of Dan-  
ville Theological Seminary, will  
preach at the First Presbyterian  
church, this city, next Sabbath, the  
23d, morning and evening. Full at-  
tendance requested.



**Low Rates**  
via the Queen & Crescent Route from all  
points, to the

**International S. S. Convention**  
Atlanta Ga., April 26-29.

**Confederate Veterans' Reunion**  
Charleston, S. C., May 10-13.

**Southern Baptist Convention**  
Louisville, Ky., May 11-18.

**Chickamauga  
Dedication Kentucky Monument**  
May 3.

**Biblical Assembly**  
Charlotte, N. C., June 20-29.

**BOW HE MET DEATH.**

Later Particulars of the Fatal  
Accident to John D. Young.

The remains of John D. Young,  
who met death Saturday night by a  
fall down the shaft of the Elkhart  
mine at Cloride, Mahog, county, ar-  
rived over the S. F. & R. last even-  
ing, accompanied by J. Roe Young,  
father of the deceased, and Claude C.  
Earl. The latter had charge of the  
hoisting bucket at the time the ac-  
cident occurred. The nature of the  
death is even more sad when the  
circumstances are learned. Sunday  
Mrs. Young, mother of deceased, re-  
ceived a letter from her son, who in-  
formed her he was doing nicely. He  
seemed somewhat buoyant over his  
success at Cloride and promised soon  
to send his mother on a visit to Ken-  
tucky. Since Mrs. Young has learned  
of the death of her son she has been  
in a dejected condition until now some  
of her friends fear she may not re-  
cover.

John Young seemed to have a pre-  
monition of his fate at the time he  
undertook to go down the shaft. At  
8 o'clock that night Superintendent  
Ferguson of the mine determined to  
show Mr. Sloan, the heaviest stock  
holder in the property, the workings  
of the mine. John Young had been  
employed as assayer and it was never  
his duty to enter the shaft, but first  
night he was requested to do so by  
the superintendent. He remonstrated,  
saying that he had completed his  
work and changed his clothes, and  
also that he thought the bucket was  
not safe. Finally Mr. Sloan also re-  
quested him to go down in the buck-  
et, which he concluded to do after  
first expostulating with him. He  
again changed his clothing and get-  
ting into the bucket lighted a candle  
and gave the signal to lower to the  
300-foot level. The bucket had been  
lowered but a few feet when it broke  
loose from its fastenings. Mr. Young  
threw up his hands and uttered his  
last words, "I am gone!" His body fell  
110 feet. It struck one side of the  
shaft and was guided to the landing  
opposite, where it was found lying  
across the bucket, but not badly  
mutilated. Death, however, must have  
been instantaneous.

Before the coroner's jury yesterday,  
at which Mr. Sloan was the coroner,  
the question arose as to the safety of  
the bucket. In common with other  
the foreman testified that the bucket  
had not been considered safe for some  
time. He condemned it and said that  
new appliances for it had arrived the  
same day on which the accident oc-  
curred. The jury rendered a verdict  
that the death had been a result of  
carelessness on the part of the com-  
pany. At Superintendent Ferguson's  
request the jury was ordered for an-  
other sitting this morning. It has  
been asked to change the verdict.

The manner in which the bucket  
became entangled has been a matter  
of much speculation. The most plau-  
sible theory advanced is that the bail  
of the bucket did not rest securely in  
the clutch owing to a defective dog—  
The Arizona Republican, April 11.

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**Circuit Court Items.**

The following compose the petit  
jury: J. I. Robinson, E. T. Hadden,  
M. B. McKinnon, H. K. Green, J. E.  
Henry, H. B. Wilson, M. A. Prewitt,  
Milton Hines, Geo. Owings, S. P.  
Hunt, J. F. Barry, Andy James, G.  
W. Hayborn, David Gay, S. T.  
Greene, Dewitt Stull, J. R. Palmer,  
H. C. Parrish, Wilford Caywood, H.  
C. Gillespie, Ashton Gilkey, R. M.  
Montjoy, A. M. Bourne, Ruben  
Hartjor.

The grand jury have returned 20  
indictments, of which 11 were against  
the Standard Oil Co. for peddling oil  
without license.

Henry Lawrence was tried Mon-  
day last week on the charge of  
horse stealing and was given two  
years in the penitentiary.

Thos. Greenwald, charged with  
thefting Wm. Day, was tried last  
Wednesday and acquitted.

Wm. Williams, colored, sent to pen  
for four years for house-breaking.

**A Correction.**

In referring last week to the award-  
ing of prizes at the medal contest, we  
stated that the second honor was  
awarded to Miss Vernie Thompson.  
This was a mistake. Miss Bertie  
Taubie received second honor. We  
gladly make the correction.

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of buggy harnesses. 39-3t

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**THE SICK.**

Mrs. C. W. Howe is still confined  
to her bed.

W. S. Elchert has been sick for  
eleven days. He has suffered severely  
with lumbago.

The condition of Rev. J. B. Green-  
wade's wife is very serious. Their  
little boy is also sick.

A. C. Hainline, who has been very  
low with pneumonia, is improving  
nicely and it is expected he will soon  
be able to be out again.

Miss Kate Beckley, who has been  
quite sick for some time, is now able  
to be out, but has given up attend-  
ance at the Public School for this  
season.

We are glad to say the report that  
Miss Mary Magowan was seriously  
sick is a mistake. Miss Mary is not  
well, but is improving nicely. It is a  
delight to us to be able to make this  
report.

**BIRTHS.**

Born, on the 12th inst., to the wife  
of John B. Phelps, a son—month heir.

Born, on March 27, to Henry Maher  
and wife, a son—month heir.

To R. C. Lloyd and wife, on Satur-  
day, April 15, a son.

weave and to make into garments  
and this she did as the days went by.  
We have heard her say that she has  
sown fax, pulled it, broke it, singled  
it, spun it, wore it and made it into  
garments for the family. The axe she  
has used in felling the forest, making  
rails and preparing the ground for  
the crops. In the midst of this man-  
ual toil she did not forget her home  
duties. To her neighbors she was  
faithful in sickness, and was known  
as the primitive woman doctor.

After the death of her husband, her  
small home, near Lubigrid church,  
in this county, was sold. The money  
was all misappropriated and she  
became an object of charity.

No longer with a home she  
was cared for by her friends and  
supported by the city as one of its  
poor and the church's charity. With  
Mr. Sandy Scobee, one of Mont-  
gomery's finest men, was served  
specially. When in want he always  
responded to her needs, was with her  
in her last hours and to him she  
gave her dying requests, which were  
carried out without the least varia-  
tion. For the remembering of God's  
poor, truly this good man and his  
dear family will inherit their just  
reward.

Mr. Henry Ware and family, with  
whom Aunt Patsy lived for months,  
will share in the rewards for those  
who cared for God's poor.

Aunt Patsy's body was incased in  
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As readers may be interested in the peculiar name of the neighborhood whose fame I humbly seek to immortalize in prosaic print, I will give its origin.

A number of years ago there lived in Hancock county a true man and brave named Mart Holland. He possessed a brighter confidence in his ability as a fighter than was usually accorded. Next to a nip of maroon-colored liquor, Holland loved nothing better than a fistie mix-up. When tanked up on booze he just simply "eeched" for a fight.

It so fell out that Holland made a trip to the coast on a flatboat. At the boat floated languidly on the broad bosom of the murky Mississippi a lalopy inspiration came to him. He would utilize the golden opportunities of the voyage, and, as a side-benefit, the dollars he carried home, he would also carry a few scalp-locks as fruits of his prowess in sunnysouthland.

The first man Holland went up against was a little weazen-faced fellow at Point Chicot (pronounced Poncheco by the natives) who was a tough little rat. Holland did not collect his thoughts for a week after this encounter. He never did collect all the remnants of his head. He always thought that he fell into the kenel of a building or the hair of a tiger. He was permanently stupefied. His companions greatly enjoyed his disfigurement and gave to the neighborhood from which Holland came the name of Pincheco (Point Chicot).

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